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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Pramod K. Srivastava

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For:

ALPHA (2) MACROGLOBULIN

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RECEPTOR AS A HEAT SHOCK PROTEIN

RECEPTOR AND USES THEREOF

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 26, 2002 and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Enclosed herewith is: 1) Exhibit A: a marked-up copy of the amended claims, with additions indicated in underlined text and deletions indicated in brackets; 2) Exhibit B: a copy of the pending claims upon entry of the instant amendment; 3) Amendment Fee Transmittal Sheet; 4) Formal Drawings submitted under separate cover letter herewith; and 5) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, with the appropriate fee, accompanied by a Supplemental a List of References Cited by the Applicant listing references CU-DY, and copies of the references.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Cancel claims 15/and 16/

Amend claims 1, 2, 11, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 21, and 22 to read as follows:

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